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Filed: January 10, 2001

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Ralph J. Gitomer

Art Unit:

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PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP UNDER

37 CFR § 1.48(b)

Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants petition under 37 CFR § 1.48(b) to remove Steven J. Potts, David C. Slaughter, James F. Thompson and Jennifer J. Payne as inventors to the above-identified patent application.

The above-listed individuals are requested to be removed as inventors because they are not inventors of the pending claims, as amended in the Response to Restriction, mailed January 21, 2003.

Please deduct the petition fee, pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.17(i), of \$130 from Deposit Account No. 20-1430 of the undersigned. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to the above Deposit Account.

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If a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned attorney at (415) 576-0200.

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